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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application are the following documents:

1. Response to Notice of Allowance dated October 16, 2006 (1 page);
2. Part B - Issue Fee Transmittal, Form PTOL-85 (1 page);
3. Check No. 23684 for \$1,030 (\$700 issue fee, \$300 publication fee, and \$30 for 10 soft copies); and
4. Return Postcard.

Although Applicants believe no additional fees are due with this submission, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account Number 50-0311, Reference No. 29708-501CIP. A duplicate copy of this letter is provided for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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